

**COMMITTEE LANGUAGE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002**

**UAVs**

**TACTICAL UAV  
ACCOUNT: RDT&E, Navy**

PRESBUD	HASC	SASC	CASC	HAC	SAC	CAC
66,349	66,349	77,349	66,349	66,349	66,349	73,349

**HASC LANGUAGE (Rpt. 107-194)**

*Page 182, RDT&E, Navy*

	decrease				
0305192N	208 JOINT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE PROGRAMS	7,179			(-13,618)
0305204N	209 TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES	66,349			7,179
0305206N	210 AIRBORNE RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEMS	5,736	9,500		66,349
					15,236

Contains no language.

**SASC LANGUAGE (Rpt. 107-62)**

*Page 165, RDT&E, Navy*

209	0305204N	Tactical Unmanned Aerial Vehicles	66,349	11,000	77,349
		Increased Scope of R&D Effort & Risk Reduction Testing		[11,000]	

*Page 181, RDT&E, Navy*

Vertical takeoff and landing tactical unmanned aerial vehicle development

The budget request included \$66.3 million in PE 35204N to develop tactical unmanned aerial vehicle (TUAV) systems, including \$48.2 million to continue development of a vertical takeoff and landing tactical UAV (VTUAV).

The Navy proposed to use these funds to continue VTUAV development activities, including:

- (1) continue contractor engineering and manufacturing development (EMD) design, fabrication and testing;
- (2) continue testing and engineering, logistics and integration support activities; and
- (3) complete developmental testing and begin operational test and evaluation (OT&E).

The Navy has informed the committee that there have been unforeseen changes in the scope of work in the VTUAV EMD effort. Absent additional funding in fiscal year 2002, the VTUAV program could be delayed in order to afford additional software effort. The Navy informs the committee that it would use additional funds to complete these tasks and to perform risk reduction testing.

The committee believes that fielding the capability that is promised by the VTUAV program is important, and should proceed as quickly as is prudent. Therefore, the committee recommends an increase of \$11.0 million in PE 35204N to enable the Navy to complete the additional software tasks and conduct risk reduction testing.

**CASC LANGUAGE (Rpt. 107-333)**

209	0305204N	Tactical Unmanned Aerial Vehicles	66,349	66,349	77,349	77,349
		Increased Scope of R&D Effort & Risk Reduction Testing			(11,000)	66,349

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### HAC LANGUAGE, (Rpt. 107-298)

TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES	66,349	76,349	+10,000
(Note: Only for a prototype Maritime Patrol and Reconnaissance (MPR) mission with advanced surveillance sensor equipment on a Global Hawk HAE UAV, to conduct experimentation, and examine concept of operations for use in conjunction with other MPR assets.)			+10,000

JOINT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE PROGRAMS.....	7,179	7,179	---
TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES.....	66,349	76,349	+10,000
AIRBORNE RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEMS.....	5,736	22,736	+17,000

### TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE

The Navy requested \$66,349,000 for the Tactical Unmanned Aerial Vehicle. The Committee recommends \$76,349,000, an increase of \$10,000,000 above the budget request.

### NAVY UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE PROGRAM.

The Committee understands that the Navy has recently implemented a major restructuring of the management structure for its UAV program. The Committee is pleased that through this change, the Navy has embraced the unique value of UAVs for intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance missions. It is clear that this restructuring may lead to further refinements of the U.S. Naval Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Roadmap and execution of the fiscal year 2001 and 2002 budgets. The Committee is supportive of the Navy's efforts and is willing to consider changes as necessary to implement a well-balanced UAV strategy. The budget as requested and appropriated in this bill reflects the program of record. Should the Navy desire to alter the program of record it must seek prior approval from Congress.

### SAC LANGUAGE (Rpt. 107-109)

208 JOINT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE PROGRAMS .....	7,179	7,179	.....
209 TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES .....	66,349	66,349	.....
210 AIRBORNE RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEMS .....	5,736	12,736	___7,000

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### CAC LANGUAGE (Rpt. 107-350)

JOINT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE PROGRAMS.....	1,117	1,117	1,117	1,117
TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES.....	66,349	76,349	66,349	73,349
MARitime RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEMS	5,724	22,224	12,724	17,524

208 TACTICAL UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES	66,349	76,349	66,349	73,349
(a)VTOL UAV (Note: \$5,000,000 only for Maritime Patrol and Reconnaissance (MPR) study, experimentation, and examination of the concept of operations for employment of Global Hawk UAV in conjunction with other assets for MPR mission)				+5,000
(b)Joint Operational Test Bed for UAV's (Note: \$2,000,000 only for system upgrades and support of Government Flight Activity.)				+2,000
209 MARitime RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEMS	5,724	22,224	12,724	17,524

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